

**UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS**

**COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS**

<b>Academic Area</b> (state core #) <b>CORE = 42 HOURS</b>		<b>Foreign Language:</b> A level of proficiency equal to or above completion of the fourth semester in one language	
<b>First-Year Signature Course</b> (090) <b>UGS 302 or 303</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>Communication</b> (010)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>RHE 306</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>WRITING FLAGS</b>			
<b>Core Writing Flag</b> (010) 3 hours May not fulfill another Core requirement	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<b>Liberal Arts Writing Flag</b> 2 courses May be fulfilled by Core or other requirement One must be upper-division	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>Humanities</b> (040)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>E 316K</b>	<b>Social Science:</b> 3 hours Must be in a different field from that used in the core. Core approved courses in Social Science will count toward this requirement. List of additional approved courses available in the Liberal Arts Student Division or in your department.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>American &amp; Texas Government</b> (070)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>GOV 310L (required)</b> and <input type="checkbox"/> <b>GOV 312L, 312P or 312R</b>	<b>Math:</b> 3 hours excluding M 301, 316K, and 316L May be fulfilled by Core Requirement in Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>American History</b> (060)	3 hours <b>US History</b> <sup>A</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ 3 hours <b>US (or TX) History</b> <sup>A</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> _____	<b>Natural Science:</b> 6 hours Selected from Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Marine Science, Nutrition, Physical Science, Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Statistics and Scientific Computations, or from list of approved alternatives available in the Liberal Arts Student Division. <sup>B</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences</b> (080)	3 hours <sup>A</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> _____	<b>Cultural Expression, Human Experience &amp; Thought:</b> 3 hours List of approved courses available in the Liberal Arts Student Division or in your department.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>Mathematics</b> (020)	3 hours <sup>A</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> _____		
<b>Science &amp; Technology, Part I</b> (030)	6 hours in a single field of study <sup>A</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> _____		
<b>Science &amp; Technology, Part II</b> (031)	3 hours in a field of study different from that used in Part I <sup>A</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> _____		
<b>Visual &amp; Performing Arts</b> (050)	3 hours <sup>A</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> _____		

**NOTES FOR CORE & LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS:**

A Must be from approved core list on reverse side.

B Notes for Core Math, Science & Technology and Liberal Arts Math & Science requirements:  
 1) Max. 9 hours in one subject can be used for the Core Math, Science & Technology and Liberal Arts natural sciences/math requirements combined.  
 2) Max. 12 hours in M, CS, & SSC combined can be used for the Core Math, Science & Technology and Liberal Arts natural sciences/math requirements combined.  
 3) Max. 3 hours in either the history of science or the philosophy of science may be used.

↑ Courses that count for Core & Liberal Arts requirements may also count for the major or minor  
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**MAJOR & MINOR REQUIREMENTS**

**MAJOR: PHILOSOPHY (27 HOURS, INCLUDING 18 UPPER-DIVISION & 18 IN RESIDENCE)**

<b>1) 3 hours of Symbolic Logic</b> chosen from: PHL 313 <i>Introductory Symbolic Logic</i> PHL 313K <i>Logic, Sets, and Functions</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ PHL 313Q <i>Logic and Scientific Reasoning</i> (PHL 313Q restricted to Plan II Honors students)	<b>4) 6 hours upper-division Philosophy</b> chosen from: PHL 321K <i>Theory of Knowledge</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ PHL 323K <i>Metaphysics</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ PHL 323M <i>Philosophy of Mind</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ PHL 325K <i>Ethical Theories</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ PHL 332 <i>Philosophy of Language</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>2) 3 hours of Ancient Philosophy</b> chosen from:* PHL 301K <i>Ancient Philosophy</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ PHL 329K <i>History of Ancient Philosophy</i> ** <input type="checkbox"/> _____	<b>5) 12 hours additional Philosophy:</b> (including 9 hours upper-division*) <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____
<b>3) 3 hours Early Modern Philosophy</b> chosen from:* PHL 301L <i>Early Modern Philosophy</i> <input type="checkbox"/> _____ PHL 329L <i>Early Modern Philosophy: Descartes to Kant</i> ** <input type="checkbox"/> _____	*NOTE: If both PHL 329K and 329L are used for requirements 2 and 3, then number of upper-division hours for requirement 5 may be reduced (i.e., 12 hours additional PHL including 6 upper-division) <input type="checkbox"/> _____

\*Courses taken to fulfill requirements 2 and 3 may not both be lower-division      \*\* Either PHL 329K or 329L must be taken

**MINOR:** 12 hours (including 6 hours upper-division and 6 hours in residence) in any one other field of study at the university  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_

**ELECTIVES** Additional hours as needed to complete the minimum **120 hours** required for a B.A and upper-division and in residence hours (see checklist below). The following courses will not count toward electives: *PHY 306, PED, PI, and KIN 119; SPE 140L; Music 200, 200A, or 200B.*

**GENERAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A minimum of 120 hours total   | <input type="checkbox"/> No more than 36 hours in one subject  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 36 hours upper-division (18 hours upper-division in residence)               | <input type="checkbox"/> No more than 36 hours in one college (except Liberal Arts & Natural Sciences) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 60 hours in residence (Not credit-by-examination, correspondence, extension) | <input type="checkbox"/> No more than 16 hours pass/fail (only electives may be taken pass/fail)       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 18 hours of major and 6 hours of minor in residence                          | <input type="checkbox"/> UT Grade Point Average of 2.00 in all courses attempted                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 24 of last 30 hours in residence   | <input type="checkbox"/> Major Grade Point Average of 2.00 (see specific majors for exceptions)        |

**NOTES:**

## UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS LIST

### FIRST-YEAR SIGNATURE COURSE

Three semester hours completed during the first year in residence.  
 • UGS 302, 303 (*Plan II only: TC 302*)

### COMMUNICATION

Three semester hours.  
 • **Rhetoric and Writing:** RHE 306 (or 306Q for nonnative speakers of English)  
 (*Plan II only: E 603A or TC 603A*)

### HUMANITIES

Three semester hours.  
 • **English:** E 316K (*Plan II only: E 603B or TC 603B*)

### AMERICAN & TEXAS GOVERNMENT

Six semester hours.  
 • GOV 310L (required for all students; fulfills first half of the legislative requirement)  
 • GOV 312L, 312P, or 312R (fulfills second half of the legislative requirement)  
 • GOV 105 (designed for transfer students with 5 or more hours in American GOV who need 1 hour in Texas GOV to fulfill the core requirement)

### AMERICAN HISTORY

Six semester hours, of which three may be in Texas history.  
 • Lower-division: HIS 314K, 315G, 315K, 315L, 317L  
 • Upper-division: HIS 329K, 333L, 333M, 334L, 334M, 336L, 340S, 341N, 345J, 345L, 345M, 350R, 351N, 351P, 355F, 355M, 355N, 355P, 355S, 356G, 356K, 356N, 356P, 356R, 357C, 357D, 357F, 357P, 365G, 373C, 376F  
 • Texas History: HIS 320L, 320P, 320R (3 hrs may count toward US HIS requirement)  
 • Other courses identified in the *Course Schedule* as "partially fulfills the legislative requirement in American History"

### VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

Three semester hours.  
 • **American Studies:** AMS 330  
 • **Architecture:** ARC 308, 318K, 318L  
 • **Art History:**  
 Lower-division: ARH 301, 302, 303  
 Upper-division: ARH 325, 327J, 327L, 327M, 327N, 327P, 327R, 329J, 329K, 329R, 330G, 331K, 331L, 331M, 332K, 332L, 333K, 333L, 334, 335N, 335P, 337K, 338L, 338M, 339J, 339K, 339L, 339M, 341K, 341L, 346, 347K, 347L, 347M, 359, 360L, 361, 361L, 362, 362R, 363, 364, 365, 366J, 366N, 366P, 367, 370, 372  
 • **Classical Civilization:** C C 301, 302, 302K, 303, 307C, 307D, 317  
 • **Core Texts and Ideas:** CTI 350, 351  
 • **Fine Arts:** F A 310, 320  
 • **Music:** MUS 302L, 302P, 303M, 303N, 303P, 606A, 307, 313, 334  
 • **Philosophy:** PHL 317K, 346  
 • **Radio-Television-Film:** RTF 305, 314, 316  
 • **Studio Art:** ART 320K, 320L  
 • **Theatre & Dance:** T D 301, 302T, 303  
 • **Visual Art Studies:** VAS 320

### MATHEMATICS

Three semester hours.  
 • **Mathematics:** M 302, 303D, 403K, 305G, 408C, 408K, 408N, 408R, 316  
 • **Statistics and Computation:** SSC 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 318  
 (*Plan II only: M 310P*)

### SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY, PART I

6 hours in the same subject chosen from the following approved list.

**Astronomy:** AST 301, 302, 303, 307, 309, 309L, 309N, 309Q, 309R, 309S, 309T  
*Only one of the following may be counted: AST 301, 302, 303, or 307.*  
 AST 309Q may not be paired with 309N or 309R.

**Biology:** BIO 301D, 301L, 301M, 311C, 311D, 416K, 416L, 315H, 325H, 326M  
*It is recommended that students complete two courses selected from: BIO 301D, 301L, and 301M, or one of the following pairs of courses: BIO 311C and 311D; BIO 416K and 416L; BIO 315H and 325H (Plan II only: BIO 301E).*

**Chemistry:** CH 301, 302, 301H, 302H, 304K, 305, 313N, 314N  
*It is recommended that students complete one of the following pairs of courses: CH 301 and 302; 301H and 302H; 304K and 305; 313N and 314N.*

**Geological Sciences:** GEO 401, 302C, 302D, 302E, 302K, 302M, 302P, 303, 404C, 405, 305E, 307, 420H  
*Only one of GEO 401, 303, or 420H may be counted. GEO 404C may not be paired with 405.*

**Natural Sciences:** NSC 306J, 306K, 306L

**Physical Science:** P S 303, 304

**Physics:** PHY 301, 302K, 302L, 303K, 303L, 309K, 309L, 316, 317K, 317L, 321  
*It is recommended that students complete one of the following pairs of courses: PHY 301 and 316; 302K and 302L; 303K and 303L; 309K and 309L; 317K and 317L (Plan II only: PHY 321).*

### SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY, PART II

Three semester hours in a field of study different than the field counted toward Science & Technology, Part I.\* Courses listed under Science & Technology, Part I, may be counted toward this requirement. The following courses may also be used:

- **Anthropology:** ANT 301, 304
- **Biology:** BIO 301C, 305E, 305F, 406D, 307D, 309D, 309F
- **Computer Sciences:** C S 302, 307
- **Electrical Engineering:** E E 302, 306
- **Geography:** GRG 301C, 301K, 304E

\*The only exception to this rule is that NSC 306J, 306K, and 306L may all be used to fulfill both Parts I and II of the Science & Technology requirement.

### SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Three semester hours.  
 • **Anthropology:** ANT 302, 305, 307, 309L, 316L, 318L  
 • **Core Texts and Ideas:** CTI 302, 365  
 • **Economics:** ECO 301, 304K, 304L  
 • **Geography:** GRG 305, 306C, 307C, 308, 309, 312, 319  
 • **Linguistics:** LIN 306, 312  
 • **Psychology:** PSY 301  
 • **Religious Studies:** R S 310  
 • **Sociology:** SOC 302, 308, 308C, 308D, 309, 313K, 318, 319  
 (*Plan II only: SS 301*)

Core curriculum areas if transferred from another Texas public institution that considers the course part of its core curriculum will be automatically counted toward appropriate requirement (19 Texas Administrative Code §4.28). Students who complete the core curriculum at another Texas public institution are deemed to have satisfied the entire core curriculum at UT Austin.

While it is recommended that students complete two courses from the same series, courses from more than one series may be combined to fulfill the Science & Technology, Part I requirement.

## INFORMATION

### HELPFUL WEBSITES:

College of Liberal Arts: [www.utexas.edu/cola/](http://www.utexas.edu/cola/)  
 Interactive Degree Audit (IDA): <http://registrar.utexas.edu/students/degrees/ida/>  
 Register for classes: <http://registrar.utexas.edu/students/registration/>  
 Course Schedules: <http://registrar.utexas.edu/schedules/>  
 Undergraduate Catalog 2010-2012: <http://registrar.utexas.edu/catalogs/ug10-12/>  
 Credit-by-Exam: [www.utexas.edu/academic/mec/current.html](http://www.utexas.edu/academic/mec/current.html)

### COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS • STUDENT DIVISION ADVISORS

Dorothy Gebauer Building (GEB) 2.306 • 512-471-4271  
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**IMPORTANT NOTE:** This is an advising aid for planning purposes only. Students may review their interactive degree audit (IDA) online or with their academic advisor. Students should consult the Undergraduate Catalog for official information concerning degree and residency requirements and general rules and regulations.